

JOB OPPORTUNITY BULLETIN



BULLETIN RELEASE DATE: 7/01/00

POSITION: Staff Toxicologist (Limited Term--12 months)

FINAL FILING DATE: Until Filled

MONTHLY SALARY: \$5480-6629

DUTIES/RESPONSIBILITIES: Under the direction of the Research Scientist III, the Staff Toxicologist will evaluate existing scientific information regarding the response of infants and children to criteria air pollutants and the differences between children and adults. This involves evaluation of the toxicological and pharmacological literature on disposition of criteria air pollutants in young animals and humans including absorption, distribution, metabolism, excretion, and the differences in those processes between children and adults. In addition, the evaluation includes review of data on toxicological response to criteria air pollutants and differences between infants, children and adults. Evaluations will include statistical analyses of appropriate data sets. The Staff Toxicologist will work with other staff in the Unit to evaluate existing risk assessment procedures used for criteria air pollutants for adequacy in protecting infants and children. The incumbent will work with other Section staff to make recommendations to adjust risk assessment methods and standards recommendations for criteria air pollutants to adequately protect infants and children. The Staff Toxicologist will provide toxicological expertise to other members of the Section and outside experts regarding health effects of criteria air pollutants, and in particular with respect to impacts on infants and children.

DESIRABLE EXPERIENCE/QUALIFICATIONS: The competitive candidate will have a doctoral degree in toxicology or closely related science with a minimum of three years post-doctoral experience. Experience in health risk assessment is desirable but not required. Candidate must be able to communicate effectively and work cooperatively with outside agencies and departmental staff.

WHO SHOULD APPLY: State employees currently employed in the above classification, persons with current list, transfer or reinstatement eligibility, and state employees currently identified as surplus or on the SROA list.

SUBMIT APPLICATIONS: Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment
Air Toxicology and Epidemiology Section
1515 Clay Street, 16th Floor
Oakland, CA 94612
Attn: Kendra Frazier

CONTACT PERSON: Kendra Frazier

(510) 622-3194

ATSS 8/561-3194

ALL APPLICATIONS WILL BE SCREENED AND ONLY THE MOST QUALIFIED CANDIDATES WILL BE INTERVIEWED.

The Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer—equal opportunity to all regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, ancestry, sex, marital status, disability, religious or political affiliation, age or sexual orientation.